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William Caton, Secretary Federal Communications Commission 1919 M Street, N.W. Washington, D. C. 20554

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Re: WT Docket No. 96-18

Reply Comments on Interim Licensing Proposal

Dear Mr. Caton:

On March 11, 1996, this office, on behalf of A+ Network, Inc., filed with your office the appropriate number of reply comments addressing the interim licensing procedures proposed by the Commission in the captioned proceeding. The timely filing of that pleading is evidenced by the attached photocopy reflecting your office's receipt stamp on its first page.

It appears that the copies of the pleading filed with your office did not have a certificate of service attached. However, the certificate of service was attached to all copies served on other parties to the proceeding, and the certificate accurately reflects that service by mail was effectuated on the filing date.

In order that the certificate of service may be reflected in the record of the captioned proceeding, we are hereby submitting five copies of the certificate of service associated with the pleading. We trust your office will see to the proper disposition of these certificates.

Should you have any questions with regard to this matter, please communicate with the undersigned member of this firm.

Sincerely,

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# Before the PEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION Washington, D.C.

In the Matter of

Revision of Part 22 and Part 90 of the Commission's Rules to Facilitate Future Development of Paging Systems Band by the Private Land Mobile Radio Service

Implementation of Section 309(j) of the Communications Act -- Competitive Bidding

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#### REPLY COMMENTS REGARDING INTERIM LICENSING PROPOSAL

A+ Network, Inc. ("A+"), by its attorneys, and pursuant to Section 1.415 of the Commission's Rules, hereby submits reply comments addressing initial comments of certain other parties as to the interim licensing proposals set forth in the Notice of Proposed Rule Making in the captioned proceeding. For its reply comments A+ states as follows:

## Procedural Matters

In addition to proposing the substantial permanent revision of the Commission's paging licensing standards and procedures, the NPRM set forth certain interim limitations on the licensing of paging facilities during the pendency of this proceeding. The NPRM directed that comments addressing the Commission's interim licensing proposals be submitted by March 1,

Notice of Proposed Rule Making, WT Docket No. 96-18, PP Docket No. 93-253, FCC 96-52 (released February 9, 1996) (hereinafter "NPRM").

 $<sup>^{2}</sup>$  NPRM, at ¶ ¶ 139-149.

### CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Marlene Borack, hereby certify that on this 11th day of March, 1996, I caused copies of "Reply Comments Regarding Interim Licensing Proposal" to be delivered to the following persons, via first class mail, postage prepaid:

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